R A L P H BILL STATUS May 29, 2003 REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - SENATE

- SB 17 DUPRE WILDLIFE/FISHERIES DEPT
 Provides for nominations to the governor for appointments to the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission.

 Called from the calendar. Read by title, withdrawn from the files of the Senate.
- SB 33 DUPRE SPECIAL DISTRICTS
 Provides for the membership of the board of commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District.
 Notice House conferees appointed.
- SB 34 DUPRE SPECIAL DISTRICTS
 Provides for membership of the board of commissioners of the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District.
 Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB 44 MCPHERSON ROADS/HIGHWAYS
 Provides for DOTD to require alternate bids on selected highway project contracts.
 Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB 61 C D JONES SPECIAL DISTRICTS
 Creates the Monroe and Northeast Louisiana Technology and
 Business Incubation Center.
 Read by title and finally passed, 20 yeas and 15 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 64 M SMITH PRESCRIPTION

 Provides for prescription of debts due public institutions of higher education in ten years. (gov sig)

 Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB 182 C D JONES ATTORNEY GENERAL
 Constitutional amendment to authorize the attorney general to investigate and prosecute homicidal deaths of certain state elected officials. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
 Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 213 DARDENNE FUNDS/FUNDING
 Constitutional amendment to create the Louisiana Coastal
 Restoration Fund. (1/1/04) (2/3-CA13s1(A))
 Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 214 DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING
 Const. amend. authorizing certain uses for nonrecurring revenue,
 authorizing certain deposits into Wetlands Conservation and
 Restoration Fd, and providing for the cap on mineral revenues
 that can be part of the balance in the fund. (2/3-CA13s1(A))
 Notice House conferees appointed.
- SB 221 HAINKEL JUDGES

 Constitutional amendment to provide for the selection and retention election of judges. (2/3-CA13s1(A)) (1/1/04)

 Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 238 SCHEDLER HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

 Defines the "facilities" which DHH may declare to be in violation, and provides an administrative appeal process in certain circumstances.

 Received from the House with amendments.
- SB 262 MOUNT MUNICIPALITIES

 Authorizes the city of Westlake to transfer certain property.

 Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.

 Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 312 BOISSIERE STATE POLICE RET FUND

 Provides retroactive eligibility for survivor benefits in limited circumstances where surviving spouse was married to decedent for less than two years prior to death. (gov sig)

 Received from the House with amendments.

reconsider tabled.

SB 326 BAJOIE SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT
Authorizes the payment of a scholarship to child care workers
who receive certification from a child care educational training
program which is approved by the bureau of licensing within the
Department of Social Services.
Read by title and finally passed, 33 yeas and 1 nays. Title
read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to

SB 375 SEX OFFENSES SCHEDLER Requires any person required to register as a sex offender to notify the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information of any institution of postsecondary education at which he is a student or is employed.

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 402 FONTENOT ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Requires the department to develop new criteria for compliance

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB 403 FONTENOT PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS

Authorizes contracts with a private entity to paint the flag of the United States and "God Bless America" on the roof of the Louisiana Superdome. (gov sig)

Read by title, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the committee on FINANCE.

SB 416 M SMITH FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Provides for the licensing of independent insurance adjusters. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Title of substitute adopted, becomes Senate Bill No. 1133.

SB 441 MOUNT SCHOOLS

> Prohibits conduct of student activities within 250 feet of designated gaming areas..

Called from the calendar. Read by title, withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SB 455 JUDGES

> Provides for the nomination and appointment of judges and for retention elections.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 482 CHAISSON VIDEO POKER

> Provides for use of thermal printers in video gaming devices and other alternate means of capturing duplicate information of a ticket voucher.

Received from the House with amendments.

504 DARDENNE SB FUNDS/FUNDING

Creates the Louisiana Coastal Restoration Fund. (1/1/04) Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 561 NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT MCPHERSON

Establishes the White Lake Property Fund and creates the White Lake Property Advisory Board. (1/1/04)

Made special order of the day No. 1 for 6/3.

568 SB DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING

Authorizes certain uses for nonrecurring revenues, authorizes certain deposits into the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund, and increases the cap on mineral revenues that can be part of the balance in that fund. (7/1/04)

Notice House conferees appointed.

SB 577 FONTENOT ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT

Authorizes the secretary of DEQ to issue expedited enforcement actions for minor or moderate violations.

Rules suspended. Called from the calendar.

Amendments proposed by the House read and rejected, 30 yeas, and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

MCPHERSON WATER/SEWER OPERATORS SB 594

Prohibits disposal of residential sewage or treated wastewater

offsite without issuance of a permit issued by DEQ.

Read by title and finally passed, 32 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

B JONES SB 612 MEDICAID

Re-establishes the Medicaid Estate Recovery Program.

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 699 ULLO LAW ENFORCEMENT

Authorizes any law enforcement officer to serve a certified copy of a restraining order or ex parte protective order on any named defendant.

Received from the House with amendments.

706 SB SCHOOLS

Provides for the establishment of a parental involvement demonstration program beginning in the 2003-2004 school year.

(gov sig)

Read by title and finally passed, 32 yeas and 0 nays. Tit read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to Title reconsider tabled.

- SB 721 HATNKEL INSURANCE RATES
 - Creates a flexible rating process for property and casualty insurance rates.

Received from the House with amendments.

724 SB M SMITH MOTOR CARRIERS

Provides for a safety inspection program for vehicles transporting forest products utilizing a mobile unit to conduct inspections on a voluntary basis near sawmills, chip mills and paper mills.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

SB 739 LIABILITY

Provides for limitation of liability for physicians rendering certain gratuitous emergency services.

Called from the calendar. Read by title, withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SB 744 M SMITH MOTOR CARRIERS

> Provides that the only limitation on a vehicle transporting forest products in their natural state shall be that the total gross weight shall not exceed 86,600 pounds.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

757 PUBLIC HEALTH SB

Requires DHH to issue licenses governing the installation and maintenance of certain wastewater treatment systems. (gov sig) Read by title and failed to pass 6 yeas, and 26 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

779 SB M SMITH AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Provides various changes relative to the Louisiana Egg Commission. (7/1/03)

Veto message received and read. By a vote of 29 yeas and O nays, the veto of the Governor was sustained.

SB 819 DARDENNE WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Provides for the payment of medical benefits and requires certain documentation of medical treatment.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

830 IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SB

Authorizes municipalities and parishes to sell certain adjudicated vacant lots by private sale. (
Received from the House with amendments.

SPECIAL DISTRICTS SB 836 MCPHERSON

Authorizes municipalities and parishes to provide for the creation of certain business improvement districts.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 26 yeas and 6 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

CONDOMINIUMS SB 840 JOHNSON

Authorizes the sale or donation of certain abandoned or blighted properties.

Read by title and finally passed, 31 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 844 FAMILY LAW ELLINGTON

Provides for the valuation of goodwill as an asset of community property.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 24 yeas and 6 Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 847 ELLINGTON SPECIAL DISTRICTS

> Creates a downtown development district in the town of Winnsboro. (gov sig)

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 862 DARDENNE TENURE

> Adds an additional cause for termination of a permanent teacher or school employee, authorizes granting tenure to certain teachers, and provides for tenure hearings to be conducted by an administrative law judge. (gov sig)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

SB 892 MICHOT TAX/AD VALOREM

Requires real property sales validation questionnaire to be filed with parish assessor concerning transfers of real property. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Called from the calendar. Read by title, withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SB 902 BAJOIE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Authorizes municipalities and parishes to sell certain adjudicated vacant lots by public or private sale. (gov sig) Received from the House with amendments.

SB 908 HAINKEL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

Provides relative to Model Health Emergency Powers Act. Rules suspended, recalled from committee.

Read by title and passed to a third reading.

SB 909 CAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Requires the La. Publice Service Commission to promulgate certain rules and regulations.

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 966 SCHEDLER CHILDREN

Provides for the membership of the Children's Cabinet and its advisory board, and extends its termination date. (gov sig)
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 992 DEAN CRIME/PUNISHMENT

Provides an exception to the crime of crime against nature for certain acts.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 1008 MCPHERSON LOCAL EMPLOYEES

Provides relative to the Rapides Parish Civil Service System and Personnel Administration.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 1012 MICHOT PUBLIC CONTRACTS

Provides for performance based energy efficiency contracts through the RFP process.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 32 yeas and 2 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.

Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1039 LENTINI ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Provides for obtaining permits for alcoholic beverages. (gov sig)

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 1040 LENTINI ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Provides for obtaining permits for alcoholic beverages. (gov sig)

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 1067 DUPRE FISH/FISHING

Provides for endorsement of a commercial fisherman's license as certified.

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 1073 DARDENNE COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS

Prohibits the cancellation or nonrenewal of a motor vehicle dealer franchise agreement solely for failure to meet

performance standards.

Received from the House with amendments.

SB 1076 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

Requires asset management companies providing services to public retirement systems to have a physical place of business within this state and authorizes investments in small emerging, investment, and venture capital businesses. (7/1/03)

Rules suspended; read by title, recommitted to the Committee on RETIREMENT.

SB 1090 BAJOIE LOCAL AGENCIES

Creates a human services authority in certain parishes. (gov sig)

Called from the calendar.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 30 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 1091 BAJOIE HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE

Mandates offering of optional insurance coverage for treatment of morbid obesity.

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 1120 MTCHOT HEALTH CARE

Enacts the Customized Wheelchair and Adaptive Positioning Devices Certification Law.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 35 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT SB 1131

Reorganization of service networks for mental health, developmental disabilities, and addictive disorders.
Received from the House with amendments.

SB 1133 FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

Provides for licensing of independent insurance adjusters. (2/3-CA7s2.1(A))

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 416; read by title.

SR 58 MCPHERSON COMMENDATIONS

> Commends Reverend Roy James on his many years of service and outstanding accomplishments.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

74 SCR SCHEDLER PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS

Suspends the authority of commissioner of administration to allocate or reallocate buildings or space.

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SCR 79 ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Requests DOTD to study the fesibility of adding an additional lane in each direction and sound barriers along I-10 in Mew Orleans East.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SCR 83 HOLDEN TRANSPORTATION/DEV DEPT

Requests DOTD to place signs at the junction of I-10 West and I-110 North in Baton Rouge that indicates "I-10 West Texas-Houston".

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SCR 84 FUNDS/FUNDING

Requests commissioner of administration, the Board of Supervisors of Community and Technical Colleges, and the Board of Regents to undertake the funding of a new campus for the Louisiana Technical College- Northwest Campus.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 98

THEUNISSEN POSTSECONDARY ED
Requests the Board of Regents to study the feasibility of offering community college services through LTC-Sowela at other regional LTC branch campuses including the Morgan Smith campus.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 101 HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Urges cooperation between DSS and DHH regarding surveys of assisted living and residential care facilities.

Committee amendments read and adopted.

Read by title, amended, adopted $\bar{\text{by}}$ the vote of 32 yeas and 1 nays. Ordered engrossed and sent to the House.

SCR 105 BAJOIE COMMENDATIONS

Congratulates Marc Morial on his selection as president of the National Urban League.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 106 MOUNT STUDENTS

Requests school board to establish policy regarding the conduct of school related student activities at gaming facilities. Reported with amendments.

SCR 108 HINES LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS

Expresses legislative support for federal funding of Louisiana University of Medical Services, Inc., College of Primary Care Medicine.

Rules suspended, recalled from committee.

Read by title, adopted by the vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

SCR 109 THEUNISSEN CURRICULA Requests the Board of Regents to study the feasibility of establishing, within the LSU System, a resource for agricultural education materials and information in public schools and postsecondary education.

Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 32 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

- SCR 110 SCHOOLS
 - Creates a committee composed of members of the legislature, the Orleans Parish School Board, the Superdome Commission and representatives of SMG to study and plan for using state facilities for Orleans Parish school purposes.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SCR 111 MCPHERSON ROADS/HIGHWAYS

Requests DOTD to overlay the South Traffic Circle in Alexandria on an expedited basis.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title. Rules suspended; adopted by the vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION SCR 112 C D JONES

Creates and provides for the Workers' Compensation Advisory Council.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on LABOR & IND RELATION.

13 HB GALLOT SHERIFFS Requires the sheriff in Claiborne Parish to pay for group health insurance for certain retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs

Signed by the President of the Senate.

- PUBLIC LANDS/SCHOOLS HB 24 CAZAYOUX Exempts West Baton Rouge Parish School Board from advertisement and bid requirements when leasing 16th section school board land for agricultural purposes Reported favorably.
- ΗB 29 SALTER TRANSPORTATION DEPT Repeals construction contract reporting requirements for certain Department of Transportation and Development contracts Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 57 BALDONE EVIDENCE Clarifies accountant-client privilege in domestic proceedings Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 70 PTTRE COASTAL RESOURCES Designates the loss of coastal wetlands to be our "state crisis" Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- HB 71 LANCASTER POLITICAL PARTIES Revises relative to applicability of laws to state central
- committees and parish executive committees Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- $^{\mathrm{HB}}$ 75 MURRAY COURTS Provides for legal holidays for the Municipal and Traffic Courts of New Orleans Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 76 COURTS/CITY DOERGE Increases the civil jurisdictional amount in controversy of the City Court of Springhill Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB TRICHE CHILDREN/SUPPORT 95 Repeals the termination date of the authority of DSS to administratively suspend licenses for nonpayment of child support

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB 109 DIEZMOTOR VEHICLES Increases the convenience fee authorized to be collected by a motor vehicle seller or extender of credit for certain transactions Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 111 CRIMINAL/ARRESTS Provides that a victim of a crime involving theft of identity

or personal information can obtain the identity of an alleged offender who is arrested for that crime
Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

- HB 115 MARTINY CRIMINAL/RECORDS
 Provides for the attachment of fingerprints on certain criminal records
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by
- title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 116 MARTINY CRIMINAL/FORFEITURE

 Deletes requirement that seized motor vehicles be sold after six months

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

- HB 134 PINAC FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHA
 Requires rules promulgated by the fire marshal be submitted to the House Committee on Commerce and Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 163 PINAC SAVINGS & LOAN ASSNS
 Repeals the qualifying share requirement for directors
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 165 POWELL FISHING/CRABS
 Provides relative to times when escape rings on crab traps must be open
 Reported with amendments.
- HB 170 POWELL FISHING/CRABS
 Provides relative to by-catch caught in crab traps
 Reported with amendments.
- HB 175 BRUNEAU WATER/DRINKING WATER

 Changes the method of assessment of a safe drinking water administration fee

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 176 BRUNEAU COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
 Revises provisions of the Louisiana Home Inspector Licensing
 Law
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 181 FLAVIN PUBLIC SERVICE COMN

 Provides that enforcement agents of the Public Service
 Commission are commissioned law enforcement officers and are authorized to carry weapons

 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 184 PINAC BANKS/BANKING
 Relative to bank stock transactions
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 186 PINAC BANKS/BANKING
 Authorizes state banks to organize and operate as limited liability companies
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 191 PINAC CREDIT/UNIONS

 Revises provisions relative to credit unions

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 192 PINAC CREDIT/UNIONS

 Makes exceptions to certain amendments to by-laws requirements

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 207 GALLOT DISTRICTS/COMMUNICATIONS
 Relative to the board of commissioners of the Lincoln Parish
 Communications District, increases membership and provides for terms
 Reported favorably.
- HB 221 FARRAR CRIMINAL/PENALTIES
 Provides for the suspension of a driver's license for failure to pay fines assessed as a criminal penalty
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 223 MURRAY CHILDREN/TUTORSHIP
 Authorizes natural tutors to file delictual actions without

prior qualification
 Signed by the President of the Senate.

- HB 224 PINAC FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
 Relative to Louisiana trust companies
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 226 PINAC CORPORATIONS
 Allows agents to file annual reports
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 227 PINAC CORPORATIONS
 Requires secretary of state to send certain notices to the principal business office of a foreign corporation
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 228 PINAC SECRETARY OF STATE
 Provides for the resignation of a registered agent of a limited liability company
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 229 PINAC SECRETARY OF STATE
 Requires the secretary of state to send certain notices to the principal business address of a foreign limited liability company
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 230 TOWNSEND LOCAL OFFL/MARSHALS
 Provides for the salary of the office of marshal for the City
 Court of Natchitoches
 Reported favorably.
- HB 231 TOWNSEND STATE SYMBOL

 Provides for the official state meat pie

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- HB 233 ILES CHILD DAY CARE FACILITY
 Relative to discrimination in day care centers and breast-fed babies
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 239 DANIEL SANITARY CODE

 Changes definition of food service establishments for food safety certificates

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 259 WINSTON STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
 Repeals various student financial assistance programs, provides for the continuance of certain tuition payments, and deletes provisions relative to the review of certain applications
 Reported favorably.
- HB 281 DEWITT PROPERTY/PUBLIC
 Transfers Hot Wells Rehabilitation Center to the Department of Health and Hospitals
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 292 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/COMMERCIAL
 Requires disqualification of driving privileges for certain drivers
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 293 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Requires certain information to be reported by commercial driver's license applicants
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 294 MORRELL CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
 Amends the habitual offender law
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 JUDICIARY C.
- HB 301 MURRAY WORKERS COMPENSATION
 Relative to the reduction of benefits
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 LABOR & IND RELATION.
- HB 310 PINAC LICENSING
 Provides for the licensure of locksmiths and requires a license to install and maintain access control devices and closed circuit television alarm systems

 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 312 PINAC CREDIT/CONSUMER

Exempts nonpublic elementary and secondary schools that finance their tuition from the requirement to file a notice with the commissioner of financial institutions

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB 314 PITRE PUBLIC MEETINGS

 Requires certain public bodies to e-mail certain information about public meetings if such bodies have the capability

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- HB 318 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Prohibits the department from issuing certain commercial driver's licenses and permits
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 319 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Creates a school bus endorsement for commercial drivers'
 licenses and requires the department to issue endorsements
 under certain circumstances
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 329 PINAC BANKS/BANKING
 Revises provisions relative to amendment and restatement of articles of incorporation of associations
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 330 PINAC CREDIT/CONSUMER LOANS
 Allows the sale of certain property and ancillary items by a consumer lender on his premises
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 333 PINAC AMUSEMENTS/FIREWORKS
 Revises and enacts provisions relative to fireworks
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 343 HAMMETT TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL
 Authorizes the governing authority of Tensas Parish to levy an additional sales and use tax
 Reported favorably.
- HB 344 HOPKINS DISTRICTS/HOSPITAL SERVC
 Provides relative to the board of commissioners of the North
 Caddo Hospital Service District
 Reported favorably.
- HB 347 G SMITH STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
 Permits certain students under specified circumstances to receive TOPS Opportunity, Performance, and Honors award benefits for postgraduate study
 Reported favorably.
- HB 354 TOWNSEND RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS
 Changes membership of the board of trustees
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 RETIREMENT.
- HB 359 BRUNEAU REAPPORTIONMENT
 Provides relative to use of divided precincts in school board redistricting
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- HB 369 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS
 Adds certain offenses to the list of "serious traffic violations" for commercial motor vehicle drivers
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 379 FAUCHEUX COURTS/JUSTICE OF PEACE
 Provides for high school diploma as a qualification for office
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by
 title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 381 HOPKINS PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property situated in Caddo Parish to adjacent landowner
 Reported with amendments.
- HB 389 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Provides relative to the disqualification of driving privileges of nonresidents
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 390 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/COMMERCIAL

Requires a disqualification of commercial driving privileges to become part of an individual's operating record
Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 401 DEWITT STUDENT/TUITION

Authorizes the LSU Bd. of Supervisors to impose specific tuition and attendance fee amounts for students attending LSA-Alexandria

Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION.

HB 409 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER

Provides that party prevailing at administrative hearing or appeal to Louisiana Gaming Control Board shall not have to pay costs

Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY B.

- HB 412 McVEA RETIREMENT/CLERKS COURT
 Provides relative to conditions under which a cost-of-living adjustment may be granted by the board
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 417 MURRAY RETIREMENT/JUDGES

 Relative to judges in LASERS, provides for retirement at 65 with 10 years of service and provides relative to remaining in office after age 70

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 425 PITRE TAX EXEMPTIONS

 (Constitutional Amendment) Exempts from property tax drilling rigs used exclusively for the exploration and development of minerals in OCS waters, which are within the state for storage, or for conversion, renovation, or repair, and any pr

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- HB 432 POWELL AIRCRAFT/AIRPORTS
 Provides relative to the extension of certain airport leases
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 451 ERDEY MTR VEHICLE/COMPULS INS
 Provides relative to suspended or revoked motor vehicle registrations
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 455 J D SMITH ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE PERMT
 Authorizes an applicant to qualify for state and local permits
 if ten years have elapsed from the completion of a sentence for
 certain felony convictions
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 JUDICIARY C.
- HB 479 BRUNEAU PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE
 Provides for the private sale of co-owned immovable property in certain circumstances
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 485 TOOMY CLERKS OF COURT
 Establishes the salaries of the various clerks of the district courts in the state
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 493 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/COMMERCIAL
 Authorizes the department to report certain commercial drivers to the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 514 PINAC LICENSING
 Repeals laws governing collection agencies
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 518 JOHNS CIVIL/DAMAGES

 Limits the liability of manufacturers, distributors, and sellers of food and non-alcoholic beverage products

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 522 J H SMITH ENVIRONMENT/WASTE TIRES
 Provides for penalties for fraudulent taking from the waste tire program
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 549 FUTRELL STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP
 Provides that the ACT composite score needed by certain

students to be eligible for a TOPS Opportunity Award shall never be less than 20 Reported favorably.

ΗB 557 PIERRE FISHING/FINFISH

Provides for the identification of freshwater fish that have been taken by fishermen Reported with amendments.

565 CRANE RETIREMENT/TEACHERS

HB Provides relative to the creditable service required for membership for part-time, seasonal, or temporary employees Read second time by title and referred to committee on RETIREMENT.

HB 581 DEWITT UTTLITTES

> Includes emergency medical services in the definition of revenue producing public utility

Read $\bar{\text{by}}$ title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 582 MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS DIEZ

Relative to disqualification offenses of commercial motor vehicle drivers

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

ΗB 583 FARRAR FUNDS/FUNDING

(Constitutional Amendment) Dedicates monies in the Lottery Proceeds Fund for support of the minimum foundation program and compulsive and problem gaming
Read second time by title and referred to committee on

FINANCE.

589 FAUCHEUX HOLIDAYS HB

Provides for state holidays for the clerks of court in St.

James and St. John the Baptist Parishes

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 599 MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL

Provides relative to emergency medical services rendered on fixed platforms in territorial waters and the Outer Continental Shelf

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 618 FLAVIN INSURERS/AGENTS

Specifies the manner in which an agent may obtain information from an applicant

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 623 THOMPSON FORESTRY

Provides relative to timber sales without the consent of certain minority ownership interests

Called from the calendar.

Read by title and referred to the committee on AGRICULTURE.

HB 632 MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS

Provides relative to penalties for convictions of certain commercial motor vehicle violations

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 633 HUTTER STATE SYMBOL

Designates the Creole Tomato as the state vegetable plant Read second time by title and referred to committee on

SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

FUNDS/FUNDING ΗB 637 LEBLANC

(Constitutional Amendment) Eliminates possibility of double counting in the deposit of certain mineral revenues into the Budget Stabilization Fund

Read second time by title and referred to committee on FINANCE.

ΗB 684 TELEPHONES

Exempts communications made for political candidates, for political polls, and by newspapers qualified to be official journals from the "do not call" listing law

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

PRIVATE SECURITY HB 688 PINAC

Increases fees for private security licensees

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 689 FARRAR MUSEUMS

Establishes the Tioga Heritage Park and Museum within the Department of State

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB 694 ANSARDI PUBLIC RECORDS

 Excepts certain records containing to security procedures and terrorist-related activities from public records laws

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- Requires the application of certain fire protection codes to campus housing

 Committee amendments read and adopted.

 Read by title, recommitted to the Committee on FINANCE.

FIRE PROTECTION

ΗB

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PINAC

- HB 701 PINAC FIRE PROTECTION
 Changes "private dwellings" to "one- or-two-family dwellings
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 703 PINAC MTR VEHICLE/SALES FIN
 Provides that federally insured depository institutions shall be considered lenders for the purposes of offering gap insurance
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 720

 HILL

 JUVENILES

 Authorizes the parish of Allen to be included in the truancy and assessment and service center pilot program

 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 722 DEWITT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

 Authorizes the England Economic and Industrial Development
 District (EEIDD) to make application to be designated as a
 foreign trade zone

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 728 HOPKINS DISTRICTS/FIRE PROTECT
 Authorizes the governing authority of Fire Protection District
 No. 1 of Caddo Parish, subject to voter approval, to establish and collect a service charge or rates of service charges
 Reported favorably.
- HB 736 BALDONE CRIMINAL/PENALTIES
 Changes the penalty for the crime of hit-and-run driving in certain circumstances
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 756 KENNARD EXPLOSIVES
 Provides that certain licensing fees for explosives are nonrefundable
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 757 KENNARD EXPLOSIVES
 Repeals provisions which allow unlicensed persons to work with explosives under the supervision of a licensed blaster
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 767 BOWLER INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
 Changes the makeup of the Louisiana Property and Casualty
 Insurance Commission
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 769 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Provides for the renewal of an expired Class "D" or "E" license
 by mail or electronic commerce under certain circumstances
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 770 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS
 Requires the department to comply with Federal Motor Carrier
 Administration notice requirements
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 786 DANIEL DISTRICTS/TAXING
 Provides relative to the Capitol House Taxing District
 Reported favorably.
- HB 801 TOOMY JUDGES
 Requires the Judicial Council to adopt guidelines for the approval of the creation of new judgeships
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 807 DURAND ENVIRONMENT/HAZ MATERIAL Relative to certain fees in the Hazardous Materials Information, Development, Preparedness and Response Act

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

- HB 809 GUILLORY PLANNING/ZONING
 Increases per diem to be paid to Calcasieu Parish Planning and
 Zoning Board members and reduces number of meetings for which
 it may be paid
 Reported favorably.
- HB 824 BOWLER EMPLOYMENT/AGENCIES
 Exempts employer-fee paid employment services from testing, licensing, and bonding requirements
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 852 QUEZAIRE BOARDS/COMMISSIONS
 Relative to the Atchafalaya Trace Commission and the
 Atchafalaya Trace Heritage Area, includes Ascension Parish in such area and adds a commission member
 Reported favorably.
- HB 869 MORRELL CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE

 Provides responsive verdict for possession of cocaine

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 874 DAMICO ENVIRONMENT
 Provides relative to certain settlements by DEQ of suits for civil penalties
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 916 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/TEACHERS
 Provides with respect to benefits for certain minor children of deceased disability retirees
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 918 SCHNEIDER VITAL STATS/BIRTH CERT
 Provides for a certificate of stillbirth
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 923 HUNTER PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS

 Authorizes the governing authority in certain municipalities to name a civic center theater in honor of a former living mayor under certain circumstances

 Reported favorably.
- HB 927 GUILLORY HEALTH
 Reduces fee charged for applicants for state disability
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 949

 BRUCE MUSEUMS

 Creates the Mansfield Women's College Museum in the Department of State

 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 950 WINSTON JUVENILES
 Provides for the maximum length of time for which a deferred dispositional agreement and dispositions can be effective
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 951 WINSTON WELFARE

 Provides that the Department of Health and Hospitals is the agency responsible for administering the family responsibility program

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 953 WINSTON MENTAL HEALTH
 Establishes a parental reporting requirement during a minor's confinement in a treatment facility
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 954 WINSTON HUMAN SERVICES
 Creates the Florida Parishes Human Services Authority
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 957 WELCH HEALTH CARE
 Provides relative to prescription drugs
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 969 BOWLER COMMERCE Provides with regard to the regulation of business and commerce

by various state entities Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

- HB 972 DIEZ MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Authorizes the operator of a motor vehicle to drive without a driver's license while taking the required on-road driving skills test to secure a driver's license
 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 985 McDONALD TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL
 Authorizes the city of Bastrop to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax and authorizes a sales tax district
 Reported favorably.
- HB 991 PIERRE FISHING/OYSTERS
 Provides for possible renewal of oyster leases which were not renewed due to temporary impacts from coastal restoration projects
 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 995 LAFLEUR RETIREMENT/JUDGES

 Provides for retirement of judges and court officers with ten years of creditable service after attaining age sixty-five Read second time by title and referred to committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 1011 DEVILLIER CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES
 Creates the crime of creation or operation of a clandestine laboratory for the unlawful manufacture of a controlled dangerous substance
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1016 DEVILLIER CRIME
 Provides for eligibility for intensive incarceration and intensive parole supervision
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1017 DEVILLIER CRIMINAL/CAPITAL PUNISH
 Prohibits imposition of capital punishment upon mentally retarded persons
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY C.
- HB 1020 DURAND FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS

 Sets maximum fees that the Louisiana State Board of Medical
 Examiners may establish, by rule, for any license, certificate,
 permit or registration issued, renewed, or reinstated
 Designated a duplicate of SB 417.
 Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- HB 1022 DEVILLIER CRIME/ARSON
 Provides for the attempt to commit arson
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1023 DEVILLIER COURTS/DISTRICT
 Provides for the eligibility for the drug division probation program
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1024 DEVILLIER CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE
 Provides for the reconsideration of sentences in criminal cases
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1025 DEVILLIER CRIME
 Changes the criminal penalties for a second or subsequent conviction of child desertion
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1039 WINSTON INSURANCE
 Repeals prohibitions on group insurance for property and casualty insurance
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1043 FAUCHEUX CULTURE/REC/TOUR
 Creates the Manchac Parkway and the Manchac Parkway Commission
 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1055 LANCASTER ADMIN LAW/DIVISION
 Removes the duty of the director of the division of administrative law to assure that agencies are properly promulgating rules

Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

- HB 1061

 BOWLER SALES/TOBACCO DEALERS

 Authorizes a dealer or operator to pay the annual renewal permit fee by check to sell or engage in the business of selling tobacco products

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1078 DURAND VITAL STATS/DEATH CERT
 Provides for increase in fees for death certificates
 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1090 R CARTER PARISH/ST. HELENA
 Authorizes a cooperative endeavor between St. Helena Parish and hospital service district for the public purpose of providing health care

 Reported with amendments.
- HB 1091 FAUCHEUX COURTS/COURT REPORTERS
 Provides that in the 40th JDC all of the judges may consent to hearing certain civil and criminal matters on the east bank of the Mississippi River and increases court reporter fees
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY A.
- HB 1096 THOMPSON PUBLIC RECORDS

 Exempts certain records of the office of conservation pertaining to pipeline security from public records laws Rules suspended, recalled from committee.

 Designated a duplicate of SB 833.

 Read by title.
- HB 1124 HAMMETT WATERWAYS/LAKES
 Increases the membership of the board of commissioners of the Black River Lake Recreation and Water Conservation District Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1127 LANDRIEU DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD

 Creates the Upper Hurstville Security District in the parish of Orleans

 Reported favorably.
- HB 1128 HUNTER COURTS/CITY
 Increases the civil jurisdictional amount in controversy of the City Court of Monroe
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1133 ODINET FISHING/OYSTERS
 Provides for a minimum size applicable throughout the year
 Reported favorably.
- HB 1147 DURAND HOSPITALS
 Provides relative to admissions to and services of the mental retardation and developmental system
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1149

 BOWLER

 INSURANCE/HEALTH

 Provides relative to compliance of health insurance issuers with certain state laws

 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1155 ODINET FISHING/OYSTERS

 Provides relative to the maximum number of acres allowed to be lease by one person

 Reported favorably.
- HB 1156 ODINET FISHING/OYSTERS
 Provides relative to production information required to be submitted annually by a leaseholder
 Reported favorably.
- HB 1167 ODINET FISHING/OYSTERS
 Requires a vessel monitoring system for those who obtain a permit from the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to land oysters outside the state
 Reported favorably.
- HB 1172 MORRELL COURTS/CRIMINAL
 Provides for certain positions within criminal district courts
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1181 PINAC LICENSING
 Makes various changes to statutes relating to Manufactured
 Housing

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB 1197 L JACKSON MUSEUMS
 Changes the membership of the board of the Louisiana State
 Exhibit Museum
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1198 L JACKSON MUSEUMS
 Changes the membership and terms of the board of the Louisiana
 State Cotton Museum
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1208 DEWITT GOVERNOR/MANSION
 Increases the number of members on the La. Governor's Mansion
 Commission and provides for certain access to property under
 its control
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
 referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1211 BRUNEAU ELECTION CODE

 Makes changes to the Election Code

 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1234 PINAC CREDIT/CONSUMER LOANS

 Excepts certain authorized e-file providers from the definition of "loan broker"

 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1236 CRANE STUDENT/TUITION
 Provides relative to specified tuition increases for certain students attending the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION.
- HB 1250 TRICHE TAX/TAXATION
 Increases the criminal penalty for tax evasion if the total actual tax exceeds \$1,000
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1271 L JACKSON CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL
 Provides relative to formal training required of each person
 selected for appointment to the entry level position of Fire
 Communications Officer (I) in the city of Shreveport
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- HB 1273 DEWITT HUNTING
 Provides relative to nonresidents participating in a field trial
 Reported favorably.
- HB 1283 LANCASTER ELECTIONS/COMMISSIONERS
 Allows students who are seniors in high school and seventeen years of age to serve as commissioners on election day
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1321 K CARTER ENVIRONMENT/HEALTH
 Creates an environmental health surveillance system
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1323 PIERRE ENERGY/PIPELINES
 Provides relative to fees paid for the hazardous liquid pipeline program in the office of conservation, Department of Natural Resources
 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1327 PIERRE ENERGY/PIPELINES
 Provides relative to pipeline safety inspection fees
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 NATURAL RESOURCES.
- HB 1332 CAZAYOUX WORKERS COMPENSATION

 Provides relative to permanent partial disability

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on

 LABOR & IND RELATION.
- HB 1334 BEARD ENVIRONMENT/WATER
 Provides for an effluent reduction credit banking system
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

- HB 1350 DOWNER GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION Creates the Department of Veterans Affairs Received in the Senate. Read by title. HB 1355 WORKERS COMPENSATION Provides for payment of outstanding claims Rules suspended; reported favorably. ELECTION CODE HB 1358 BRUNEAU Makes changes to the Election Code as mandated by the federal Help America Vote Act of 2002 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1380 TRICHE TAX/TAXATION Expands the tax clearance program with respect to the issuance of certain licenses to include all taxes Received in the Senate. Read by title. HB 1387 LANCASTER ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE Provides that an agency which seeks judicial review of an adjudication held pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act is liable for other party's litigation exenses under certain circumstances Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY A. HB 1419 ERDEY INSURANCE/RATES Provides for agreements for the funding of approval and certification process for defensive driving courses Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE. HB 1432 DANIEL PROPERTY/PUBLIC Enacts the Louisiana Purchase Commemorative Act to encourage the acquisition of land by public entities in an effort to set aside green space which can be preserved as our state develops Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1435 HEBERT INSURANCE/LIFE Provides for mortality, interest, and other standards for life insurance policies Signed by the President of the Senate. HB 1437 INSURANCE/HEALTH Provides relative to underpayment of health insurance claims and retroactive contractual rate adjustments Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1438 INSURANCE/HEALTH Authorizes the Department of Insurance with the Department of Health and Hospitals to establish a pilot health insurance program for small employers Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1452 DISTRICTS/FIRE PROTECT HOPKINS Provides relative to municipal annexation of territory included within fire protection districts in Caddo Parish Read second time by title and referred to committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS. HB 1460 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES Includes tobacco products in the Responsible Vendor Law Reported with Legislative Bureau amendments which were read and adopted. Read by title and passed to a third reading. HB 1468 SCHWEGMANN ANIMALS Provides relative to the possession and purchase of nonhuman primates and nonindigenous reptiles Reported favorably. HB 1472 THOMPSON AGRICULTURE Provides relative to agricultural commodity dealer and warehouse fees
- Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1496 DOWNER PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS Provides with respect to the coordination with other agencies in the implementation port security and safety plans Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 1508 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT Provides for the organization and functions of the office of property and casualty in the Department of Insurance and the Louisiana Insurance Rating Commission Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1534 WINSTON WOMEN Renames the Governor's Office on Women's Policy and creates the Louisiana Women's Policy and Research Commission Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1536 LEBLANC STUDENT/TUITION Authorizes the Board of Regents to study and formulate a state tuition and fee policy for public postsecondary education institutions Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION. HB 1538 TUCKER INSURANCE/HMO Implements risk-based capital for health maintenance organizations. Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE. HB 1556 SCHWEGMANN COLLEGES/UNO Authorizes the LSU Bd. of Supervisors to impose a specified fee increase for students attending UNO Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION. HB 1567 K CARTER PROPERTY/PUBLIC Transfer of property from the State of Louisiana situated in Orleans Parish to the city of New Orleans Read second time by title and referred to committee on NATURAL RESOURCES. HB 1591 McDONALD DISTRICTS/DOWNTOWN DEVEL Creates the Bastrop Downtown Development District Received in the Senate. Read by title. HB 1605 HOSPITALS Adds to the definition of rural hospital Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1613 WINSTON SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT Provides with respect to the creation of a "no wrong door" delivery of social and other services Read second time by title and referred to committee on HEALTH & WELFARE. HB 1619 MORRISH STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP Provides for a guaranteed loan program for certain nursing students and for loan forgiveness in return for service Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION. FIRE PROTECTION HB 1629 PINAC Provides for licensing fire protection engineers and mechanical engineers as fire proetection sprinkler systems contractors Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. HB 1630 PINAC FIRE PROTECT/FIRE MARSHA Provides for jurisdictional rules for inspections and additional requirements for creation and operation of fire prevention bureaus Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau. EMPLOYMENT OF MINORS HB 1643 GUILLORY Revises provisions relative to the employment of minors Rules suspended; reported with amendments. HB 1644 UNEMPLOYMENT COMP GUILLORY Provides for chargeability determinations Rules suspended; reported favorably. HB 1645 GUILLORY UNEMPLOYMENT COMP Repeals limitations on employer contribution Rules suspended; reported favorably. HB 1646 UNEMPLOYMENT COMP GUILLORY Provides for judicial review of certain proceedings Rules suspended; reported favorably. HB 1647 GUILLORY UNEMPLOYMENT COMP Provides for the acquisition of employees after the merging of employing units Rules suspended; reported favorably. HB 1648 GUILLORY UNEMPLOYMENT COMP Changes the contingency fee amount

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

- HB 1652 THOMPSON AGRICULTURE/GRAIN

 Provides relative to feed fees charged by the Department of Agriculture and Forestry

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1671 QUEZAIRE LEVEES

 Provides for the issuance of permits or letters of no objection for levee crossings when authorized by the United States Army Corps of Engineers and DOTD, office of public works Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1675 THOMPSON AGRICULTURE
 Provides relative to labeling and regulation of seeds, an
 increase in seed fees, and the commissioner of agriculture and
 forestry's powers and duties
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HB 1686 DEWITT MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC
 Enacts the "Driving is a Privilege" law and authorizes suspension of drivers' licenses of certain students
 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 1757 WALSWORTH DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL
 Creates the Southwest Ouachita Economic Development District
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- HB 1765 ANSARDI INSURANCE/HEALTH
 Allows a health care provider 30 days to provide an insurer with certain information
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1768 MURRAY PUBLIC BLDGS/GROUNDS-ST
 Use of unlicensed state vehicles within the State Capitol
 Complex
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1770 J D SMITH LABOR
 Provides with respect to employment contracts
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1776 MONTGOMERY FUNDS/FUNDING
 Changes distribution of certain revenues received by the state
 for deposit in the Pari-mutuel Live Racing Facility Gaming
 Control Fund (slots at the tracks) from Bossier Par. to support
 a truancy program in the D.A.'s office for the 26th Jud. Dist.
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by
 title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1779 LEBLANC APPROPRIATIONS/ANCILLARY
 Provides for the ancillary expenses of state government
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 FINANCE.
- HB 1783 WRIGHT U.S. PROPERTY

 Extends the period within which the United States Justice
 Department may obtain jurisdiction concurrent with the state
 over certain property
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 NATURAL RESOURCES.
- HB 1786 ALARIO STUDENT/TUITION
 Authorizes the boards of supervisors for the Southern, LSU, and
 La. system to impose an academic excellence fee for students
 attending institutions under the management and supervision of
 each
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
- HB 1802 HUNTER STUDENT/TUITION
 Authorizes the Southern University Bd. of Supervisors to increase tuition by specified amounts for resident and nonresident students enrolled at the law center
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION.
- HB 1805 SALTER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

 Provides for exceptions to an election section taking on the

 "wet or dry" characteristics of the area to which it is annexed

 for purposes of selling alcohol

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on

 JUDICIARY C.
- HB 1809 THOMPSON CULTURE/REC/TOUR

EDUCATION.

Prohibits personal watercraft (jet ski) operation on any body of water managed by or surrounded by land owned by the office of state parks; authorizes rules regulating recreational use of such water bodies

Received in the Senate. Read by title.

HB 1810 BEARD CRIME

Criminalizes human cloning

Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY A.

HB 1811 TRICHE RETIREMENT/TEACHERS

> Requires employer to pay retiree the value of leave which cannot be converted to retirement credit

Read second time by title and referred to committee on

RETIREMENT.

HB 1826 NURSES/REGISTERED

Provides relative to registered nurses performing utilization review for reimbursement under the Louisiana Medical Assistance Program

Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1832 COURTS/COURT COSTS

Authorizes a certain clerk of court to receive an additional fee in expundement cases

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by

title and passed to a third reading.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS HB 1836 BAYLOR

Renames the band hall at Southern University at Baton Rouge and renames the Multicultural Center of the South in Shreveport

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

HB 1850 HOPKINS MTR VEHICLE/TOWING

Provides relative to the surrender of a vehicle to a lien

holder

Read second time by title and referred to committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1851 DEVILLIER FIRE PROTECT/FIRE DEPTS

Provides that local arson investigators may attend schools and training courses for certification and qualification by the Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by

title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1859 WOOTON MUNICIPALITIES

Increases the sum of money that parish governing authorities are authorized to appropriate annually for fairs, agricultural festivals, and other agricultural events

Read second time by title and referred to committee on

LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 1875 DEWITT LEGISLATIVE EXPENSES

Makes appropriations for the expenses of the legislature for the $2003-\overline{2004}$ Fiscal Year

Read second time by title and referred to committee on FINANCE.

HB 1892 WALSWORTH CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL

Provides that an applicant for appointed chief of police in certain municipalities need not be a qualified elector of the state

Read second time by title and referred to committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.

HB 1894 MOTON FISHING/VESSELS

Provides for charter boat licenses on motorized vessels

Reported favorably.

WORKERS COMPENSATION HB 1898 PITRE

Provides relative to disputes involving vocational counselors Read second time by title and referred to committee on

LABOR & IND RELATION.

HB 1900 MTR VEHICLE/TRUCKS

Provides relative to the fees collected from issuance of special permits and payments for penalties and creates a special

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HEALTH/DHH HB 1904

Increases fees for the review of facility plans by the DHH

engineering division

Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.

- HB 1905 CURTIS SCHOOLS/BOARDS

 Prohibits a school board member from abusing his authority of office to directly or indirectly compel or coerce personnel decisions or employee decisions

 Reported favorably.
- HB 1923 HUDSON TEACHERS
 Provides for the Teach Louisiana First Program to reduce the shortage of certified teachers in certain public schools
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION.
- HB 1943 LEBLANC DISTRICTS/PUBLIC IMPROVE
 Creates the Lafayette Metropolitan Expressway Commission
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HB 1945 DIEZ HIGHWAYS

 Creates a Louisiana Byways Commission within the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HB 1959 WINSTON ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

 Authorizes a person to engage in business as a manufacturer and as a retailer at the same time under specified circumstances

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY C.
- HB 1969 SCHWEGMANN DISTRICTS/TAXING
 Provides for the continuation of certain taxes and fees levied by improvement districts
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on LOCAL & MUN AFFAIRS.
- HB 2013 TOWNSEND AQUACULTURE

 Provides for the Louisiana Aquaculture Coordinating Council

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on

 AGRICULTURE.
- HB 2021 DIEZ MOTOR VEHICLES

 Provides relative to "low-speed vehicles"

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 2024 FUTRELL HEALTH CARE
 Establishes the Louisiana Elderly Medication Program
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 2025 GUILLORY PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS
 Authorizes the governing authority in certain municipalities to name a senior citizens' services administrative building in honor of a local public officer under certain circumstances

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 2026 MARTINY GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER

 Exempts device owners from maintaining a minimum balance or security under certain conditions

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 2028 TOWNSEND ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

 Provides for obtaining permits for alcoholic beverages

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HCR 37 WELCH COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES
 Requests each public postsecondary education management board to adopt policies relative to providing information to entering freshman about credit card debt
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 42 CRANE STUDENTS

 Establishes a multidisciplinary advisory council to address the health care concerns of students in Louisiana schools Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 51 SHAW FUNDS/FUNDING
 Urges the Department of Transportation and Development to expend funds from its discretionary fund account for the completion of the Interstate 49 North corridor Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HCR 89 McDONALD HUNTING/DUCKS

 Memorializes Congress not to fund programs that affect the migration of ducks

 Signed by the President of the Senate.

- HCR 114 LAFLEUR BOARDS/COMMISSIONS

 Continues the Louisiana Commission on French and the Louisiana
 French Study Committee, created in 2001 to assess the condition
 of the French language in Louisiana
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 148 MURRAY SCHOOLS
 Requests BESE to submit detailed written plans relative to the implementation of the state takeover of failing schools to the House and Senate education committees not later than September 15, 2003
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 158 M STRAIN TRANSPORTATION DEPT
 Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic signal or three-way stop signs on Louisiana Highway 437 at its intersection with Louisiana Highway 40
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 164 BALDONE EDUCATION
 Requests BESE to study the issue of parental involvement in education and methods to increase parental involvement
 Reported with amendments.
- HCR 167 M STRAIN TRANSPORTATION DEPT
 Requests the Department of Transportation and Development to improve the riding surface of Louisiana Highway 1062 in front of Loranger High School
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HCR 171 FAUCHEUX COMMENDATIONS

 Commends Courtney Porteous Millet upon being named the 2002

 Louisiana Elementary School Principal of the Year

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 174 FAUCHEUX COMMENDATIONS

 Commends the Reserve Christian High School basketball team upon winning the Louisiana Class B State Championship Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 179 MURRAY COMMENDATIONS

 Commends Bishop Paul S. Morton, Sr. for his service to the African American business community and the city of New Orleans Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 203 CROWE SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
 Declares June 12, 2003, as the second annual Slidell Day at the
 Legislature of Louisiana
 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and
 concurred in by the vote of 29 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to
 the House.
- HCR 204 DOWNER SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH
 Recognizes June 2003 as National Truck Safety Month
 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and
 concurred in by the vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to
 the House.